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ELD. Z. T. WILLIAMS' LETTER.

From Venice to Paris.

Editor of the News:

We left Venice at 2:30 a. m. May 31st, for Como, via Milan. Arrived at Milan at 2 o'clock p. m. and spent five hours seeing the sights of that city. We went at once to Cathedral Square which is the center of bustle and life of the city. The leading streets of the city center in this square, and it is surrounded by some of the most important buildings. Here the great cathedral of Milan stands. In the center of the square stands the monument of Victor Emanuel made by the sculptor, Ercole Rosa, who died before this, his last work, was completed. It is the finest monument in Milan. The cathedral is one of the greatest and most wonderful work of art. It was begun in 1386. It is dedicated to the nativity of the blessed Virgin Mary. Its shape is that of the Latin cross, 148 meters in length and 88 in width; 108 meters high. The material in this magnificent building cost, it is said \$100,000,000 besides the labor of putting it up. It is nearly 500 feet long on the outside and 250 feet wide. The central spire is 380 feet high, and from its pinnacle you see 2,000 smaller pinnacles, each one having a statue of marble on its summit. We climbed to the summit of the central spire and had a splendid view of the city and surrounding country. It is the third largest church in all Europe.

In St. Maria Della Grazie, which was originally an Abbey church, is seen the last supper, frescoed on the rear of the church, by Leonardo da Vinci in the 15th century, and is very interesting in spite of its ruinous condition.

Milan, the capital of Lombard, is one of the largest and wealthiest cities of Italy. It is now a great manufacturing center with about 300,000 inhabitants. It is the center for music, and is the largest market place for silk and cotton in Italy. After spending five hours very pleasantly in Milan we left for Como and spent the night in that beautiful city on Lake Como. It is an old town, but comparatively new in the development of industries. It has a large silk manufacture and splendid trade in silks. It is surrounded by hills, adorned with many rural villas where invalids and pleasure seekers spend summers. It has about 25,000 inhabitants.

We left Como for Lucern on the morning of June 1st at 8:40, by train. Our railway led us through the Alps by the St. Gothard pass. We soon felt a change in the climate and had to put on our overcoats to keep warm.

Many of these mountain peaks are snow capped, and in some places the railway rises near them. There is some beautiful and picturesque scenery on this road, as much as almost any we have been privileged to see. Just below the snow the mountain sides are covered with grass and forest and evergreens; then the beautiful valley that grows narrower as you approach the great tunnel is carpeted with grasses and some parts in cultivation. Cedars and pine cover the mountain side and many beautiful waterfalls are seen along the way. There is one of the longest tunnels on this road through the Alps in the world. We took boat on Lake Lucern at Fluelen and sailed the entire length of this beautiful lake to the city of Lucern. The scenery on this lake is unsurpassed for wild and picturesque views. Lucern is situated in the heart of Switzerland within easy reach of all that is grandest in scenery of the Alps, and the tourist delight to linger here and enjoy this rendezvous as a summer resort. The Rigi may be reached by rail in a little time, and this mountain resort is to be reckoned among the most popular in all Italy. Many tourists climb this mountain to get a view of sunrise. It is said that from 250 to 300,000 tourists visit Lucern every year, and the town is supported largely by tourist. We spent one night in this beautiful city

and left early next morning for Paris, that is two of us did. Crossfield and McGarvey took a tour of three or four days through Germany. Duncan and myself arrived at Paris about 6 o'clock and engaged rooms for ten days for four francs each. We arrived on Saturday evening, and Sunday is not known in Paris except as a day for festivals and frolics. We spent the day mostly in our rooms. Monday we went to Consuls for our letters and to exhibitions; and now as we have spent ten days in Paris, and six of them in the exposition, we are prepared to pass judgment on it. And first of all will say we were disappointed in the exposition as regards the arrangement and the variety and greatness of the show. The location of the grounds is unfavorable for a great exposition. The grand entrance is at Concord and extends down the river, Seine, and at the entrance there is a wing on each side the river, connected by a bridge, and then on one side there is a narrow pass three-quarters of a mile before you come to anything interesting. The national buildings are all crowded in on the other side between the two main wings. Then there is nothing new on exhibition, all has been seen at other places. The great wheel is here, but it is not attracting much attention, for it is not new any more, and then it is outside the exposition grounds. The moving sidewalk is attracting more attention than most any other part of the exposition grounds. The people flock to it by the thousands for a ride. You can ride as long as you please for one-half franc; but you don't please to ride long, for you have to stand all the time. There are no seats on it. You can take a slow ride or fast, as you please. One runs about three times faster than the other. The Eiffel Tower which was built for the exposition in 1889 is still here and is one of the great attractions. It is like a spire in the middle of Champ de Mars, and is constructed entirely of iron and rises to a height of 984 feet, the highest tower in the world. Platforms divide it into three parts, and you ascend by lifts, or what we call in America, elevators, or you can walk up to the second platform if you wish, but few undertake it.

Paris itself is a great show, and has every claim to be considered a model city. The houses are built with great taste and the innumerable streets which cross each other in all directions, are broad and airy and well lighted. Business and pleasure are harmoniously combined in Paris. It has some of the finest streets in the world. Champ Elyse is considered the finest street in Paris and there is nothing to equal it in the world. It also has some magnificent churches. Madeleine is among the most noted. It was begun in 1764 and completed in 1848. Notre Dame Cathedral is the metropolitan of Paris. It was built in the 12th century or rather begun then, and was 200 years in being completed. The towers are 380 feet high. The bell in the southern tower is the largest in France, being over 8 feet in diameter and weighs over 16 tons. The clapper alone weighs nearly a half ton. It is only rung on great occasions. Its treasury is rich and rare with ancient relics.

The coronation robes of Napoleon the First, are in it and a piece of the true cross of Christ, and the crown of thorns, and one of the nails of the cross. The organ is one of the finest in France. It has 6,000 pipes. We spent one evening in the Museum of the Louvre which has its vast galleries the richest collections in the entire world. It was originally the Palace of the Kings of France and was begun in 1541 by Francis the First, but was not completed until 1857, by Emperor Napoleon, III. But it was occupied in an unfinished state by Catharine de Medicis, Charles XI, Louis XIII and Napoleon I, who desired to complete it, but time failed him and he left it to Napoleon III to finish. The Triumphal Arch, begun by Napoleon I, in 1806, to

commemorate the glories of the French armies, cost 800,000 lbs. sterling, and is a living picture of the glorious triumph of the first empire.

We saw the July column at Place de Bastille, erected to the memory of the heroes of 1830. It is 154 feet high and beneath it are interred the victims of 1830, who died for liberty, and it really ought to be called the "Liberty Tower." The names of the heroes are inscribed on the column in letters of gold.

We saw Cleopatra's Needle. It is at Place de la Concorde and is of red granite, 75 feet high and weighs 250 tons and came from Luxor, Egypt. But I must close this letter and leave Paris for London, and my next will be from Paris to Montpelier, Ky.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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A strange disease has appeared in Greenwood, Ill., and three deaths have occurred. Sunday, Samuel Allen died from something resembling cholera morbus. Monday Mrs. John Glover and Mrs. West Bauer both died suddenly in the same manner. The town is greatly excited and fears an epidemic. Physicians have thus far failed to relieve those attacked. Monday night two other victims were reported.

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At Cleburn, Texas, a jury decided that John Renfro, a prominent young white man who killed James Williams for defending in court the good name of his dead daughter against Renfro's slanders, is sane. The Judge set Friday, July 27, as the day of execution. This is the fourth date set for the hanging.

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Eleven negro men were drowned in the Warrior river near Akron, Ala., Monday afternoon by the capsizing of a skiff. The accident occurred at a Government lock, now being constructed.

Rev. J. M. Yingling, pastor of the Bedford Street Methodist church at Cumberland, Md., says: "It affords me much pleasure to recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it and know others who have done so. I have never known it to fail. It is a sure cure when taken in time." For sale by M. Cravens.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Desha Pickett, champion of the "Orphan Brigade," and twelve years Superintendent of Public Instruction in Kentucky, died Saturday at his home near Chicago, where he had resided since 1891. The remains were buried at the family burying grounds in Mason county.

THE LINES ARE DRAWN.

The result obtained at Lexington is as honest and as unequivocal an expression of the will of the people as could be expected or desired.

It will carry with it all the weight it deserves as a free and genuine expression of the will of the people. It ought, it ought, and we think it will, reunite the party. The issue between the two parties in the nation is much the same as it was before the interposition of internecine faction and doctrinal quibbling. But, in the State it is a simple choice between the responsible elements of conservative, orderly and intelligent society and the combine of money and murder, which gets its orders from Washington and expects to win, if it win at all, by fraud and force.

Gov. Beckham has shown himself a prudent and courageous man. He has done his duty during an ordeal that might have tried the wisdom of an older man. His nomination is the popular recognition of this. The people say in effect: "We refuse to swap horses crossing a stream." They give the youth of the young Governor "the benefit of the doubt," knowing full surely that time will cure it. He has already grown out of it enough to have arisen to the full exigency of the situation, and he will as time passes show conclusively that he is a worthy scion of an illustrious race of Kentuckians, equal, as his fathers were before him, to each emergency as it arises.

The Republicans of Kentucky dare not go to the people upon their own record. Hence it is that they would force the democrats to meet them upon the single issue upon which they suppose the democrats to be divided. That is the Election Law. They will find themselves mistaken. There is not a democrat in Kentucky worthy of the name who wants any election law that is not strictly non-partisan and fair. There is not a man whose judgment is entitled to weight who does not know that with such a law the Democracy, led by Beckham, will sweep the State. The Republicans will not be permitted to put the Election Law between themselves and the fires of damnation. They will not be permitted to use the Election Law alternately as a wedge to divide Democrats and a screen to protect themselves. When Governor Beckham has called the Democratic Legislature together in extraordinary session—when its democratic members have reconvened at Frankfort with the tragedy of last winter engraved on mind and heart with the obligations of right and duty before conscience and honor, and with the voice of the good people of the State ringing in their ears—they will without any other let or hindrance, except that of the Republicans, who will thus show themselves in their true colors, imprint upon the Election Law such modifications and amendments as experience has shown to be necessary, and they will make it so just and so non-partisan as that no right-thinking man can gainsay it.

And where will the Republicans then be? They will be stripped of the wretched subterfuge of seeking the reform of the law—for their sole hope is of keeping it unchanged upon the books—and they will be turned loose naked to face the awful indictment against them; the operations of Bradley and his partisan militia before the last election; the operations of the Railway-Political Combine during and immediately succeeding the election; the Reign of Terror precipitated upon the State Capital by the descent of the mountain feudists; the murder of Goebel; the dispersal of the Legislature by the edict of the Republican claimant and by armed violence; and the long line of usurpations and outrages perpetrated by Taylor from the string of the shot that struck the Democratic claimant down to the hour of his own disgraceful flight from the State, a self-confessed criminal and a cowardly fugitive from justice. These are the issues—the real issues of the campaign before us—and not the Goebel law. The Republicans will have to meet them—to meet them in the open field—for they cannot and they will not be permitted to skulk behind the Goebel law, using it before the election as a club to beat the Democrats, and, in case they lose the election, using it thereafter as a pretext to throw the vote of the State out of the Electoral College, to refuse admission of the Democratic members of Kentucky's delegation to Congress, and, it may be—in case McKinley is elected—to make of the State Government of Kentucky itself a case of Federal intervention, ruinous both to our political and our material interests.

Fellow-Democrats of Kentucky, this is the situation which we have to meet. Let us meet it as honest and as brave men. Let us have done with small politics. That is the only kind of politics that Democrats have to fear. Undoubtedly the Lexington Convention was a representative body. It has given us a noble young Kentuckian as our chief. It has given us a platform that

all Democrats can stand upon. Now let us close ranks and go to work like men and brothers, like Kentuckians and like Democrats, to redeem the honor of the State by placing permanently at Frankfort a representative and a responsible Chief Magistrate; one who does not take his cue from a ring of Federal officeholders, nor look for his election to organized corruption and brutality; one who is not the accredited agent of money and murder; but one who will administer the laws justly, serve the public faithfully, and look for his reward to the favor of the people and the blessings of Heaven.—Courier-Journal.

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In Green county Emmet Richardson was shot by Walter Edwards, his brother-in-law, once in each shoulder and once in the head, making a scalp wound. Edwards has only been married about six weeks, and Richardson claimed he had mistreated his wife, who is Richardson's sister. Edwards has left the state, taking his wife with him.

JABEZ.

Mr. John Johnson, our old and reliable merchant, was quite ill last week.

This has been a busy week for our citizens. Wheat and oats to care for, a protracted meeting at Military Springs, reunion of soldiers, erecting tomb stone to soldier's graves and quarterly meeting at Christian Home Church.

Prof. J. C. Tompkins is attending the institute at Somerset.

Our miller, Mr. J. Derr, expects to have a flour mill attached to his steam mill in the near future.

Dr. J. B. Scholl began building him a new office the first of the week.

We have daily mail from Jamestown and Somerset since July 1st.

Mrs. John West died of consumption last week. She leaves three small children.

Esq. James Eads, Eadsville, Wayne county, is trying to get a mail route from Eadsville to this place. He is also trying to get a telephone line from Eadsville, via this place to Somerset, a line which is greatly needed and would pay any stock company.

DUNNVILLE.

A new Christian church has just been completed at this place, and will be dedicated on Sunday, July 29th. Elders Z. T. Williams and J. Q. Montgomery will preach dedicatory sermons. Dinner on the grounds.

Miss Bersba Neal, of Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. L. Williams.

Miss Eva Pick, Georgetown, is the guest of Miss Lilly Morgan.

Miss Lena Taylor and brother, N. F. Taylor, of Augusta, Kansas, are visiting the families of W. G. Smith and A. N. Taylor.

Miss Bettie Wilkinson, of Liberty, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Pelly.

Oma Goode, Campbellsville, is with relatives here.

Miss Rosa Hayes, of Jamestown, is here for a few days, enroute for Wilmore to attend the camp-meeting.

W. B. Taylor and son, of Versailles, and his sister, Mrs. Ella Taylor Stone, of North Dakota, have been guests of W. G. Smith and A. N. Taylor.

CAVE SPRINGS.

Farmers are elated over the prospect for a good corn crop.

A singing is being conducted here, Saturdays and Sundays, by Rev. Frank Hughes and W. W. Rexroat.

Joe Hinson lost a horse a few days ago, which is the second one recently.

The school at this place opened last Monday with a fair enrollment. Besides the trustees a number of patrons were present.

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